

EITC Analysis Welfare Peer Technical Assistance Network

Tax Year 2004 EITC Specific Data CONNECTICUT

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		State	% of Nation	Nation	State 2004 EITC Status
Returns receiving EITC after deduction of disallowed claims*		159,810	1%	21,111,590	State 2004 ETTC Status
Sum of EITC dollars for tax year 2004	\$	261,328,165	1%	\$ 39,047,754,834	\$82,962,412
Average EITC per family	\$	1,635		\$ 1,850	Unclaimed
Returns with EITC claims from filers with one or more qualifying children*		123,916	1%	17,182,379	_
		78%		81%	
Returns with EITC Claims with no qualifying children	i	35,894	1%	3,929,211	
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Returns with EITC and Child Care Credits		10,144		1,322,776	
		6%		6%	\$261,328,165 Claimed
Returns with EITC and Child Tax Credit		50,667		6,285,293	
		32%		30%	EITC Claims
Returns prepared by Paid preparers*	1	109.075	1%	14,886,796	With Qualifying Children
		69%	.,,,	71%	78% With _
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Returns prepared by Self preparers*	-	47,165 30%		5,783,217 28%	
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Returns prepared by VITA preparers*		2,832		206,636	
	<u> </u>	1%		1%	
Estimated filers who met EITC income requirements who did not claim the					22% Without
credit in the prior year*£		50,734	1%	5,996,417	Children
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	1	02,0		20,0	Returns With EITC By Preparation Type
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Estimated unclaimed EITC dollars based on the average EITC per family	\$	82,962,412		\$ 11,090,904,138	69%
Earned Income from \$1 - \$10,000		63,258	1%	7,756,388	0970
		40%		37%	30%
Earned Income from \$10,001 - \$20,000		47,917	1%	7,131,311	
F 11 (000 001 000 000	1	30%		34%	1%
Earned Income from \$20,001 - \$30,000	<u> </u>	40,708	1%	5,194,645	
F	<u> </u>	25%	404	25%	Self
Earned Income Greater than \$30,000	<u> </u>	7,927	1%	1,029,246	VITA
	<u> </u>	5%		5%	raiu

^{*} Data was compiled by zip code area. Total filers/returns was rounded to zero in all areas where the total was less than 10 for confidentiality purposes. Therefore, all amounts of filers/returns in this spreadsheet are approximate.

£ EITC criteria other than income limitations were not taken into account for this item. Individuals counted in this section may pass income test and be deemed ineligible for other reasons such as age, legal alien status or state residency requirements.

Information is based on returns filed from January 2005 thru June 2005 for tax year 2004.

Estimated unclaimed dollars should be treated and interpreted only as an indicator of the need to raise awareness.

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